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For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ESTABLISHING  
NETWORK CONNECTION WITH UNKNOWN  
NETWORK AND/OR USER DEVICE**



**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(1)**

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and § 1.97-1.98, the references listed and identified on the attached Form PTO/SB08A are being submitted herewith for consideration by the Examiner. This Statement is being filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(1).

While this Statement is being filed in compliance with the duty of disclosure, citation of the attached references is not to be construed as an admission that any of the references are "material" as defined under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

A copy of each reference listed on the attached Form PTO/SB08A is included herewith. Consideration and entry into the record of these references is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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